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All final applications will be reviewed by the OHMVR Division. The OHMVR Division may, at its sole discretion, decrease the requested amount and eliminate activities pursuant with regulation Section 4970.07.2 (f)(1-4) and for law enforcement projects, regulation Section 4970.15.3(b)(1-5).

Please note: If multiple proposed projects are requesting funding for the same deliverable, and multiple projects are successful, only one project will receive funding for the deliverable.

General Evaluation Criteria

- #1, #2, #7b, #8 Applicant may want to confer with the land manager for response to these items.
- #8a "Bulletin boards, signs or kiosks, at majority...." does not appear to be supported in the explanation provided.
- #8b Explanation provided does not appear to support the item checked.

Restoration G09-04-02-R01

Project Description

• "Trail Maintenance" activities are not eligible under a Restoration project. Applicant may want to verify and adjust as necessary.

Project Cost Estimate

- Cost items associated with "Trail Maintenance" activities are not eligible under a Restoration project.
- Staff "Other-Program Director", "Other-Program Manager", and "Other-Program Coordinator" appears excessive for the activities identified.
- Staff Applicant may want to clarify the UOM for "Other-Volunteer Hours".
- Materials / Supplies "Other-Greenhouse supplies", "Other-GPS Units", and "Signs" are also included in the San Bernardino National Forest Restoration project cost estimate and appear to be duplicate requests.
- Materials / Supplies "Other-Print/Design Marketing materials" does not appear directly related to the restoration project.
- Equipment Purchases The cost item "Other-EZ-UP Shade Shelters" appears excessive.
- Others Items listed in "Other-Sanitary and Safety Equipment, Notes: Portapottie rental, 1st Aid kits, field radios" appear unrelated to each other and should be itemized and detail provide how these items will be utilized in the project.

Evaluation Criteria

- #3 Applicant may want to provide more detail/confer with the land manager for response to the 'Reference Document'.
- #7 The narrative does not support response with regard to "Publicly noticed meeting(s) with the general public to discuss Project". Applicant may want to provide additional details.

Education & Safety G09-04-02-S01

Project Description

No comment.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff Some activities listed under "Other-Program Director" do not appear directly related to this project.
- Staff "Other-Program Director", "Other-Program Manager", and "Other-Program Coordinator" (listed twice) appears excessive for the activities indentified.
- Materials / Supplies "Other-Digital Cameras" and "Other-GPS units" items do not appear to be directly related to the activities identified in this project and would not be eligible under an Education & Safety project.
- Equipment Use Expenses Applicant may want to provide additional details regarding the "Other-Mileage" line item.
- Equipment Purchases The cost item "Other-EZ-UP Shade Shelters" appears excessive.
- Indirect Costs Cannot exceed 10% of the grant request amount.

Evaluation Criteria

- #6 The explanation provided for "Publicly noticed meeting(s) with the general public to discuss Project" does not appear to be supported for this project.
- #11 The explanation provided does not appear to address providing "delivery of ATV Safety Institute and/or Motorcycle Safety Foundation training" to the public.